



RICARDO A. SAMANIEGO
EL PASO COUNTY JUDGE

Mr. Patrick O'Brien
Director, Office of Local Defense Community Cooperation
2231 Crystal Drive, Suite 520
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Dear Mr. O'Brien,

In accordance with 2 C.F.R. Part 200, UNIFORM ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS, COST PRINCIPLES, AND AUDIT REQUIREMENTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS, Section 200.414(f), El Paso County, Texas, elects to track all indirect costs associated with fulfillment of work under the Military Installation Resilience Review grant we are currently requesting in cooperation with El Paso Water Utilities, at the 10% *de minimis* rate as approved by the Office of Management and Budget. El Paso County uses this election in all Federal grant requests. If you have any questions or need additional information regarding this election, please contact Norma Rivera Palacios, Public Works Executive Director.

Sincerely,

Judge Ricardo A. Samaniego
El Paso County